



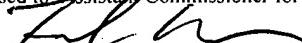
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of:

Jason F. Hunzinger

Serial No.: 10/010,536

Filing Date: December 5, 2001

For: MINIMUM INTERFERENCE  
MULTIPLE-ACCESS METHOD AND  
SYSTEM FOR CONNECTION RESCUE

Examiner: Philip Sobutka

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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2002, for which a response was due on January 31, 2003, and for which a two-month extension of time is also requested to extend the time for response from January 31, 2003, to March 31, 2003. Please amend the application as follows. The Applicants respectfully request consideration of the present amendment as placing the application in condition for allowance.

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